

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 STATE 154409
ORIGIN EPA-04

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 ISO-00 OES-07 CEQ-01 INT-05 CIAE-00
INR-07 NSAE-00 L-03 /040 R

DRAFTED BY EPA/EXECSEC:DHSTROTHER:DT
APPROVED BY OES/ENP/EN:HSPIELMAN
EPA/A-106:JBLANE
EPA/A-106:KHARPER
EUR/SOV:RWINDSOR

-----039074 021051Z /21

P 020136Z JUL 77
FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW PRIORITY
INFO USMISSION NATO PRIORITY
AMCONSUL LENINGRAD

UNCLAS STATE 154409

USNATO FOR SHOSTAL

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SENV, OVIP, UR

SUBJECT: ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT; MID YEAR REVIEW (02.00)

REF: (A) MOSCOW 9043; (B) STATE 143613; (C) STATE 130236
(D) BYRNES -STROTHER TELECON 30 JUNE

1. CONFIRMING REF D, DAVID H. STROTHER, ACTING EXECUTIVE
SECRETARY OF US SIDE, REPLACES HARPER. VISA APPLICATION
SUBMITTED TO SOVIET CONSULATE JUNE 30.

2. EPA ADMINISTRATOR'S NAME IS COSTLE, NOT COSTEL (CF.
REF A).

UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 STATE 154409

3. AS INDICATED REF D, ADMINISTRATOR COSTLE WELCOMES
SUGGESTIONS FOR VISITS TO MHD FACILITY IN MOSCOW AND
SOLID WASTE CONVEYER AND COMPOSTING SYSTEM BEING CONSIDERED
FOR LENINGRAD (REF A, PARA FOUR). THESE WILL BE OF INTEREST
IN TERMS OF PROSPECTIVE COOPERATION UNDER PROJECTS
02.0120 AND 02.04-31, ESPECIALLY IN VIEW OF CURRENT
ESSENTIALLY DORMANT STATUS OF LATTER.

4. IN LIGHT OF REF B PARAS TWO AND THREE, ENTIRE U.S. DELEGATION WILL TRAVEL ON BASIS OF SENDING SIDE PAYS IN ORDER TO REDUCE OVERALL IMBALANCE NOTED BY FINANCE MINISTRY. U.S. SIDE KNOWS THAT FUNDING OF SOVIET SIDE IS FINANCED THROUGH SPECIAL APPROPRIATION ADMINISTERED BY HYDROMET, AND HAS POINTED OUT TO SOVIET SIDE IN PAST DISCUSSIONS ON THIS TOPIC THAT SINCE FUNDING ON U.S. SIDE COMES FROM INDIVIDUAL DEPARTMENT AND AGENCY FUNDS, WE HAVE NO ABILITY TO EFFECT TRANSFERS OF FUNDS FROM ONE PROJECT TO ANOTHER. ACCORDINGLY, U.S. SIDE HAS LONG ASKED THAT BALANCE BE DETERMINED ON A PROJECT-BY-PROJECT BASIS. WHEN SOVIET SIDE NOTES IMBALANCE IN A PARTICULAR PROJECT, U.S. TRAVELLERS UNDER THAT PROJECT SHOULD THEN GO ON "SENDING SIDE PAYS" UNTIL BALANCE RESTORED. THIS WILL BE POSITION TAKEN IF SOVIETS RAISE IMBALANCE ISSUE.

5. EMBASSY SHOULD, WHEN APPROPRIATE OCCASION ARISES, REITERATE STRONG DESIRE OF ADMINISTRATOR COSTLE TO PAY ALL EXPENSES CONNECTED WITH PRESENCE OF MRS. COSTLE.

6. STROTHER AND SHOSTAL REQUEST TWIN-BEDDED DOUBLE.

7. DELEGATION GLAD TO HEAR OF SCICOUNS ABILITY TO PARTICIPATE IN MOSCOW AND LENINGRAD PORTIONS OF VISIT, IN RESPONSE TO REF B, PARA THREE. CHRISTOPHER
UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 03 STATE 154409

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: AGREEMENTS, ENVIRONMENT, SEMIANNUAL REPORTS, MEETING DELEGATIONS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Sent Date: 02-Jul-1977 12:00:00 am
Decaption Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1977STATE154409
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: DHSTROTHER:DT
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D770252-0914, D770236-1196
Format: TEL
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1977/newtext/t19770795/aaaadept.tel
Line Count: 94
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: b7d9f071-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ORIGIN EPA
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 77 MOSCOW 9043, 77 STATE 143613, 77 STATE 130236
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 19-Oct-2004 12:00:00 am
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 1976334
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT; MID YEAR REVIEW (02.00)
TAGS: SENV, OVIP, UR, (STROTHER, DAVID H)
To: MOSCOW
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odb://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/b7d9f071-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
22 May 2009
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009